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COUNTRY East Germany REPORT NO.   25X1ATOPIC Puetnitz AirfieldEVALUATION see below PLACE OBTAINED   25X1ADATE OF CONTENT   25X1ADATE OBTAINED   REC. 26 January 1954REFERENCES  PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)  REMARKS  SOURCE   25X1X

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1. On 25 December 1953, 21 MiG-15s with auxiliary fuel tanks were observed on the landing field of Puetnitz airfield. There was intensive air activity up to nightfall.   two- MiG-15s involved in flying. Air activity was also conducted on 26 December. During the air activity, the radar set on Koeppenberg was in operation.<sup>2</sup>
2. A train consisting of 29 boxcars and 4 converted boxcars arrived in Damgarten, coming from the direction of Stralsund. Additional shipments arrived in Damgarten on 26 and 29 December. A train left Damgarten railroad station on 26 December.

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3. The following air activity and aircraft were observed at the field between 27 December 1953 and 2 January 1954:

27 December. At 2 p.m., 11 MiG-15s were observed on the landing field. There was no air activity.

28 December. Around 9 p.m., individual MiG-15s took off from the field.

29 December. At 2 p.m., 10 MiG-15s were observed on the dispersal areas. At 2 p.m., 1 twin-engine transport aircraft took off. Individual flights were also made by MiG-15s.

30 December. Between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., two U-MIG-15s   practiced flying. A multi-engine aircraft landed at noon and again took off at 1:30 p.m.

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31 December 1953 to 2 January 1954. No air activity was observed. Visibility was poor.<sup>1</sup>

4. During the night of 27 December, two trains including flatcars loaded with 15 tank trucks and 10 trucks and boxcars equipped with stoves left Damgarten railroad station.

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25X1A 1. [redacted] Comment. Puetnitz airfield is believed to be occupied by a fighter division headquarters and two fighter regiments. [redacted]

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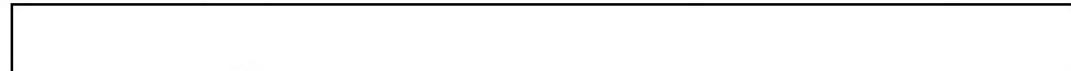
25X1 previously reported from Zerbst and Brand respectively.

25X1A 2. [redacted] Comment. The radar set mentioned is a Toket-type set which has been reported several times.

25X1A 3. [redacted] Comment. It is believed that the fighter regiment from Neubrandenburg has transferred to Puetnitz and a fighter regiment, probably the former Soviet training regiment for the VPL (Aeroclub), has transferred from Puetnitz to Parchim.

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